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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Atsushi SHIBUTANI, et al.

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For : IMAGE REPRODUCTION APPARATUS
CAPABLE OF SIMULTANEOUSLY
REPRODUCING PLURALITY OF IMAGES

Art Unit : 2622

Examiner : Carramah J. QUIETT

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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S I R :

This is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed
December 8, 2009, the term for response to which expires on
March 8, 2010.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1, 5-7, 14-17,
20, 21, 23-25, 32 and 33 are amended; claims 2-4, 11-13, 18, 19
and 22 are maintained; and claims 8-10 and 26-31 are canceled.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.